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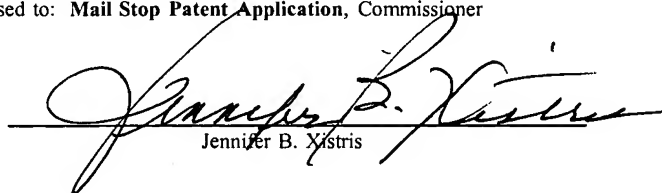
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NEW APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of Dean DellaPenna, Li Tian and Joonyul Kim for Novel Carotenoid Hydroxylases for Use in Engineering Carotenoid Metabolism in Plants.

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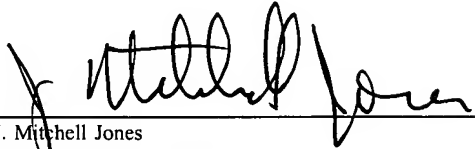
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1. **Type Of Application**
This new application is for a(n)
☒ Original (nonprovisional)
2. **Papers Enclosed That Are Required For Filing Date Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b) (Regular) or 37 C.F.R. § 1.153 (Design) Application**
104 Pages of Specification
5 Pages of Claims
1 Page of Abstract
42 Sheets of Informal Drawings
3. **Declaration**
☒ Enclosed
☒ Unexecuted.
4. **Inventorship Statement**
The inventorship for all the claims in this application is:
☒ the same
5. **Language**
☒ English
6. **Fee Calculation (37 C.F.R. § 1.16)**
☒ Regular application

CLAIMS AS FILED

Number Filed	Number Extra	Rate	Basic Fee - \$770.00 (37 C.F.R. § 1.16(a))
Total Claims (37 C.F.R. § 1.16(c))	32 - 20 =	12 × \$18.00 =	\$216.00
Independent Claims (37 C.F.R. § 1.16(b))	12 - 3 =	9 × \$86.00 =	\$774.00
Multiple Dependent Claim(s), if any (37 C.F.R. § 1.16(d))	+ \$290.00 =		\$0.00
Filing Fee Calculation			\$1,760.00

7. Small Entity Statement(s)☒ Verified Statement(s) that this is a filing by a small entity under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.9 and 1.27.**Filing Fee Calculation (50% of above) \$880.00****8. Fee Payment Being Made At This Time**☒ Enclosed☒ basic filing fee \$880.00**Total Fees Enclosed \$880.00****9. Method of Payment of Fees**☒ Check in the amount of \$880.00**10. Authorization To Charge Additional Fees and Credit Overpayment**☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in the payment of the required fees, and/or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No.: **08-1290**. An originally executed duplicate of this transmittal is enclosed for this purpose.**11. Power of Attorney by Assignee**☒ Enclosed (unexecuted)**12. Return Receipt Postcard**☒ EnclosedDated: January 2, 2004
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